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GREGG COMMENTS ON SECRETARY POWELL'S PRESENTATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL

WASHINGTON -- United States Senator Judd Gregg (R-NH) today commented on U.S. Secretary of State Colin Powell's presentation to the United Nations Security Council on the defiance by Iraq of U.N. Security Council Resolution 1441, passed by unanimous vote in November.

Senator Gregg stated, "I think Secretary Powell made an extraordinary presentation to the United Nations today. Once again, it reinforces what an exceptional leader the Secretary is and why he commands so much respect internationally. He made the case clearly, decisively and incontrovertibly that Saddam Hussein is not only a threat to us, but a threat to the world, and something has to be done about it. I hope the U.N. will step up the plate now, but if they don't, we have to defend the security of our nation. There is a significant coalition that agrees with us and we need to move forward."

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